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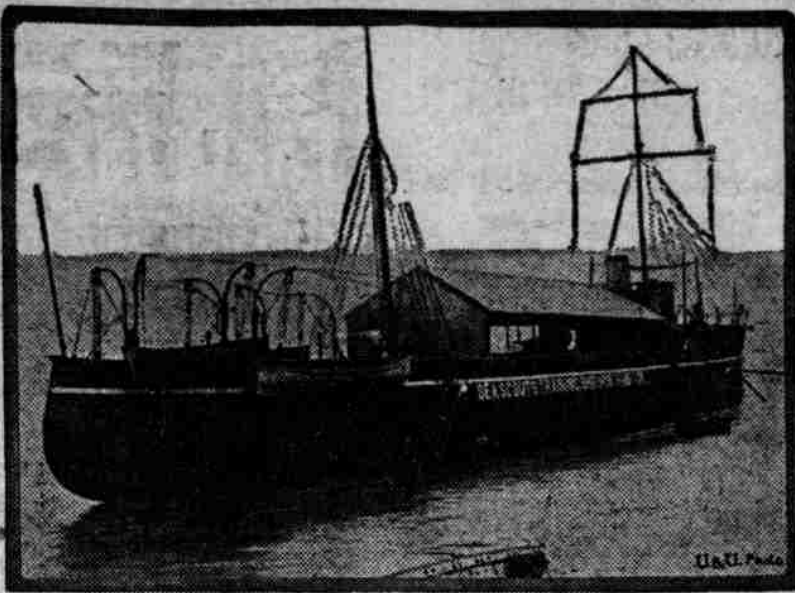
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ENGLISH GUNBOAT AS AN APARTMENT



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Reed Found In Soviet Russia

Communist Long Sought on Charge of Conspiring Against United States.

MAKES ESCAPE VIA NORWAY

Lenine Welcomes Him as Envoy From United States Communist Party—Lived in Kremlin as Guest of Authorities.

Washington.—John Reed, close friend of Lenine and Trotsky, who is under indictment in Chicago for alleged conspiracy to overthrow the United States government, arrived in Soviet Russia by way of Finland last December, it is learned. Since his indictment recently federal and Illinois state agents have been searching for Reed all over the United States.

On being told of Reed's presence in Russia—it is not known yet whether he has left there—the state department was interested to learn the channel through which he obtained a passport. The department is informed that he shipped as a sailor from an American port to Norway. From there he traveled on foot to Stockholm. There he stowed himself away, or was stowed away, on a vessel about to sail for Helsinki.

The adventurous Mr. Reed narrowly escaped arrest in Helsinki, but, disguising himself as a Russian peasant, he crossed the frontier into Russia. He was received in Moscow as the official envoy of the American Communist party, and as such attended the meetings of the third International, and made a speech at the All-Russian Soviet convention in the middle of December.

Lived at the Kremlin. In Moscow Mr. Reed lived at the Kremlin as the guest of the people's commissars.

He was in constant communication with Lenine and Trotsky, it is stated, and visited the Red army at the front. Mr. Reed was in Moscow until the middle of January. Of that the state department is quite certain. His reception in Russia was the warmer because two years ago Trotsky appointed him bolshevist consul general at New York. Mr. Reed never assumed that office, for, as it turned out, the appointment was made to facilitate his return to the United States.

It would seem that Reed antici-

pated that he would be indicted and so sought more hospitable shores. In the course of the widespread search for him as a fugitive from justice a man suspected of being Reed was arrested near Poughkeepsie, N. Y. This man proved that he was Harrison B. Ellis, that he had not been in Chicago for 15 years and had never uttered or written unpatriotic opinions.

Eighty-five big and little leaders of

Grim End of Perfect Dream

Living Conditions in Russia Pictured in Dismal Colors by Prof. Zeidler.

DISEASE TAKES HEAVY TOLL

Typhus, Cholera and Influenza Are Rapidly Depleting the Population—Cold, Hunger and Despair Are Lot of the Living.

Helsinki.—Reports of serious living conditions at Petrograd have been received by Prof. Hermann Zeidler of Viborg, showing that typhus, cholera and influenza are taking a heavy toll of the depleted population.

Up to January 15 deaths in Petrograd were reaching a total of 3,000 a day. The coffin factories could turn out only 1,000 coffins daily, and most of the bodies were being carried into the country on sleds and left in the snow.

Many bodies were being dropped through the ice in the River Neva. Funerals were prohibited owing to the scarcity of horses and because of the depressing effect of funeral processions.

Stagnant Broken Sewers. "Living conditions are intolerable," Professor Zeidler said. "It costs 30,000 Lenine rubles a day for food alone. Petrograd at night is without light and there is very little drinking water. Houses are flooded by the bursting of frozen pipes. The sewers are stopped and sanitary conditions are deplorable."

DROPS THREE MILES

Aviator Has Thrilling Experience Trying for Record.

Oxygen Tank Begins to Fail and Flyer Almost Loses Consciousness.

Dayton, O.—Dropping 14,000 feet while six miles in the air and still alive today was an experience through which Maj. R. W. Schroeder, chief test pilot at McCook field and champion altitude flyer of the secret service, passed recently.

Major Schroeder formerly lived on Washington boulevard, Chicago. He made his first flight over the stock yards here ten days ago.

While making a maximum test flight in a Le Pere ship, in which he has been flying for altitudes, Schroeder noticed the thermometer of the ship. It registered 52 degrees below zero.

THREE VAGRANT CLASSES.

Perhaps you think the hobo, the bum, the tramp and vagrant are one and the same. Indeed not. They are as different as bulldogs and terriers and collies. They are all vagrants—that is, persons without physical means of support and family attachments. But there are three distinct types: There is the tramp, the young fellow who works a little and travels a great deal; the bum, who drinks a great deal and works a little, and the

hobo, who works a little, drinks a little and travels a little. The latter personage also differs from the other two classes in that he will not beg.

Flashlight Saves Steps and Time. A small flashlight placed under the pillow will save a cold trip across the room on dark, cold mornings to determine the correct time. It also is a help in getting medicine or a drink of water, making it unnecessary to turn on lights which would awaken members of the family.

the Communist party in America were indicted in Chicago on the same charge as Reed on January 23 last. Among them were Mrs. Rose Pastor Stokes of New York City, a member of the executive committee of the Communist party; Nicholas J. Hourwich of New York City, publisher of *Novy Mir*, the most prominent Russian newspaper in the United States, who formerly employed Leon Trotsky; Isaac E. Ferguson, chief counsel for the party, and Louis E. C. Fraine, editor in chief of all Communist propaganda in this country, who is in Mexico, it is believed.

The authorities here regard Reed, although he was graduated from Harvard, as one of the most earnest young Communists in America. Before the indictment which hangs over him was found, federal and state courts had indicted Reed for alleged seditious utterances and writings. But the indictments were quashed, or, on being tried, he was acquitted.

BUILD AIR DEFENSE STATION

United States Government to Have Base for Land and Sea Planes on Staten Island.

New York.—Construction of an aerial coast defense station has begun at New Dorp, Staten Island, to serve as a base for land and seaplane patrol aircraft.

The station, which will be known as Miller field in honor of Capt. James E. Miller, killed in action in France, also will be equipped with directional wireless apparatus to guide patrolling craft in foggy weather.

The field comprises 450 acres, with an ocean frontage of 1,750 feet. The plans, which were made during the war, call for 32 buildings, including barracks, officers' quarters, mess halls, post exchanges and administration buildings.

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CREAM FOR CATARRH OPENS UP NOSTRILS

Tells How to Get Quick Relief From Head-Colds. It's Splendid!

In one minute your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh will be gone.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh—Relief comes so quickly.—Adv.

WHAT IS YOUR WIFE WORTH?

London Judge Says It's a Question Requiring Much Thought so Reserves Judgment.

London.—What is the cash value of a wife? Is a question which agitated the London divorce court for a time.

Counsel for the husband in a case, arguing on the question of damages, said that "the old theory that a wife was a chattel and that the jury had to award damages to the owner of the property still holds true with some slight modification."

"Then you call her a quasi-chattel," said the judge. The court found the matter too heavy for hasty decision and reserved judgment.

State Gets Waiter's \$35,000. San Francisco.—The \$35,000 estate left by Harry Hastings, a waiter at the Elk club here, will go to the state because the public administrator has been unable to locate any relatives.

Hastings came here from the East 25 years ago.

First American Magazine.

The first magazine to be published on the American continent was the American Magazine. It appeared in Philadelphia, February 13, 1741. The idea was entirely Benjamin Franklin's, and he was preparing to bring out the General Magazine, and spoke of it unguardedly; one of his hearers stole the idea and hurriedly got out a number three days before Franklin's magazine appeared. After getting out three numbers the American Magazine suspended publication. The General Magazine lasted six months.

Easier to Rise. "Do you find much inspiration in biography?" "I'm afraid not," said the student. "No?" "Most of the characters I read about battled upward at a time when the purchasing power of money was considerably greater than it is today."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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What Next? A cook recently engaged by a woman of conspicuous wealth and fashion brought her own maid with her. Through every rank of society like conditions prevail.—New York Herald.

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